

ABSTRACT

Public Services-Revenue Department-Allegation of Corruption against Sri U. Somasundaram formerly M.R.O, Penugonda Mandal, West Godavari District now retired-trapped on 31.05.2004-Enquiry by TDP-Show-cause notice issued under rule 9 of APRP Rules, 1980 - Explanation submitted-Punishment of 10% cut in Pension permanently and 5% cut in gratuity- Orders Issued.

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REVENUE (VIG.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No: 1263

Dated: 11.06.2008

Read the following:

- Ref: 1. The D.G, ACB Lr.No.126/RCT-EWG/2004-S13,
Dt.3.11.2004.
2. Govt.Memo.No. 15726/Vig.II(1)/04, Dt.28.10.2005.
3. From the Secretary, TDP Dis.No.S/14/07, Dt.4.6.07
(Report of TDP in 39/2006).
4. Govt.Memo.No. 15726/Vig.II(1)/2004, Dt.29.3.2008.
5. From U. Somasundaram M.R.O (Retd), Penugonda
Mandal, West Godavari District explanation dt.Nil.

ORDER:

Sri U.Somasundaram, formerly MRO, Penugonda, was trapped by the Anti Corruption Bureau authorities on 31-5-2004 when he demanded and accepted a bribe amount of Rs.1,000/- from the Complainant for doing the official favour.

2. The Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau vide his letter 1st read above has submitted the Final Report and he has recommended for Prosecution of the AO in a Court of Law.

3. Government vide Memo.2nd read above have placed the case before the T.D.P to enquire into the allegation of corruption.

4. The III Member, T.D.P in their report in TEC.No.39/2006, 3rd read above has opined that " the C.O has committed misconduct. Prosecution has proved the charge against C.O. As stated in his Written Arguments that he retired from service on 30.11.2006 and he should be shown mercy. In view of this the member recommend for a cut in his pension and also the amount due to him by virtue of his retirement".

5. In the reference 4th read above, Government have issued a show cause notice to the Delinquent Officer under Rule 9 of A.P. Revised Pension Rules with a provisional decision to impose a punishment of 10% cut in Pension permanently and 5% cut in gratuity permanently on Sri U.Somasundaram, formerly MRO, Penugonda now retired for the irregularities committed by him.

6. In the reference 5th read above, the retired officer has submitted his explanation, stating that the TDP report was one sided one.

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7. Government after careful examination of the explanation submitted by the individual in the light of the T.D.P report have decided to confirm the provisional decision taken by them.

8. Accordingly Government hereby impose a punishment of 10% cut in Pension permanently and 5% cut in gratuity permanently on Sri U.Somasundaram, formerly MRO, Penugonda now retired for the irregularities committed by him.

2. The Spl.C.S & the Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, Hyderabad shall take necessary action accordingly in the matter.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

G.SUDHIR

PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

Sri U.Somsundaram, MRO (Retd), Penugonda, West Godavari District.
The Spl.C.S & the Chief Commissioner of Land Administration,
Hyderabad.

Copy to the Collector, West Godavari District.

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Section Officer